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The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

The bill (H.R. 208), as amended, was read the third time and passed.

AMENDMENT NO. 4008, AS
MODIFIED—H.R. 4461

Mr. BENNETT. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that amendment No. 4008 to H.R. 4461, previously agreed to, be modified with the change that is now at the desk.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

The amendment (No. 4008), as modified, is as follows:

On page 13, line 13, strike "\$62,207,000" and insert "\$62,707,000".

On page 13, line 16, strike "\$121,350,000" and insert "\$120,850,000".

AMENDING THE IMMIGRATION
AND NATIONALITY ACT

Mr. BENNETT. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Senate now proceed to the consideration of Calendar No. 693, S. 2812.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will report the bill by title.

The assistant legislative clerk read as follows:

A bill (S. 2812) to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide a waiver of the oath of renunciation and allegiance for naturalization of aliens having certain disabilities.

There being no objection, the Senate proceeded to consider the bill.

Mr. BENNETT. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the bill be read the third time and passed, the motion to reconsider be laid upon the table, and any statements relating to the bill be printed at this point in the RECORD.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

The bill (S. 2812) was read the third time and passed, as follows:

S. 2812

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

SECTION 1. WAIVER OF OATH OF RENUNCIATION AND ALLEGIANCE FOR NATURALIZATION OF ALIENS HAVING CERTAIN DISABILITIES.

(a) IN GENERAL.—The last sentence of section 337(a) of the Immigration and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. 1448(a)) is amended to read as follows: "The Attorney General may waive the taking of the oath if in the opinion of the Attorney General the applicant for naturalization is an individual with a disability, or a child, who is unable to understand or communicate an understanding of the meaning of the oath. If the Attorney General waives the oath for such an individual, the individual shall be considered to have met the requirements of section 316(a)(3) as to attachment to the Constitution and well disposition to the United States."

(b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendment made by subsection (a) shall apply to individuals who applied for naturalization before, on, or after the date of enactment of this Act.

ORDERS FOR MONDAY, JULY 24,
2000

Mr. BENNETT. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that when the Senate completes its business today, it recess until the hour of 12 noon on Monday, July 24. I further ask consent that on Monday, immediately following the prayer, the Journal of proceedings be approved to date, the morning hour be deemed to have expired, the time for the two leaders be reserved for their use later in the day, and the Senate then begin a period of morning business until 2 p.m., with Senators permitted to speak therein for up to 10 minutes, with the following exceptions: Senator DURBIN, or his designee, from 12 to 1; Senator THOMAS, or his designee, from 1 to 2.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

PROGRAM

Mr. BENNETT. Mr. President, when the Senate convenes at 12 noon, the

Senate will be in a period of morning business until 2 p.m. Following morning business, the Senate will turn to any available appropriations bill. Amendments are expected to be offered thereto, with any votes ordered to occur at 6 p.m. on Monday. I thank all Senators for their cooperation.

RECESS UNTIL MONDAY, JULY 24,
2000

Mr. BENNETT. Mr. President, if there is no further business to come before the Senate, I now ask unanimous consent that the Senate stand in recess under the previous order.

There being no objection, the Senate, at 2:12 p.m., recessed until Monday, July 24, 2000, at 12 noon.

NOMINATIONS

Executive nominations received by the Senate July 21, 2000:

THE JUDICIARY

SUSAN RITCHIE BOLTON, OF ARIZONA, TO BE UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE FOR THE DISTRICT OF ARIZONA VICE ROBERT C. BROOMFIELD, RETIRED.

MARY H. MURGUIA, OF ARIZONA, TO BE UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE FOR THE DISTRICT OF ARIZONA VICE A NEW POSITION CREATED BY PUBLIC LAW 106-113, APPROVED NOVEMBER 29, 1999.

JAMES A. TEILBORG, OF ARIZONA, TO BE UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE FOR THE DISTRICT OF ARIZONA VICE A NEW POSITION CREATED BY PUBLIC LAW 106-113, APPROVED NOVEMBER 29, 1999.

POSTAL RATE COMMISSION

GEORGE A. OMAS, OF MISSISSIPPI, TO BE A COMMISSIONER OF THE POSTAL RATE COMMISSION FOR A TERM EXPIRING OCTOBER 14, 2006. (REAPPOINTMENT)

CONFIRMATIONS

Executive nominations confirmed by the Senate, July 21, 2000:

THE JUDICIARY

JOHNNIE B. RAWLINSON, OF NEVADA, TO BE UNITED STATES CIRCUIT JUDGE FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT.

DENNIS M. CAVANAUGH, OF NEW JERSEY, TO BE UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY.

JOHN E. STEELE, OF FLORIDA, TO BE UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA.

GREGORY A. PRESNELL, OF FLORIDA, TO BE UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA.

JAMES S. MOODY, JR., OF FLORIDA, TO BE UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA.